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Students Receive Science Scholarships

Cal State Channel Islands students Alexis Rae Del Cascillo and Alvessa Sullivan were awarded \$1,000 Amy Durst McAvoy Memorial Scholarships. The awards were supported by the International Soroptimist of Camarillo of the Ventura County Community Foundation. Both students are completing their degrees in cell and molecular biology.

For more information, contact Ching-Hua Wang, professor of immunology and biology, x8870.

Emergency Phones Installed on Campus

The Office of Public Safety – in conjunction with Information Technology Services and Operations, Planning, and Construction – has installed five “Code Blue” emergency phones at various locations on campus. The bright red platforms provide a direct line to the police dispatcher and display a flashing strobe warning light when in use. The phones will be activated on August 14.

For more information, contact Chief Jeff Young, director of public safety, x8447.

Student Affairs Staff Development Day

Staff from the Division of Student Affairs will participate in a day-long staff development program on campus, Friday, August 1. All offices within Student Affairs will remain open, except between noon and 1 p.m.

For more information, contact Ed Lebioda, director of budget, operations, and auxiliary services, x8547.

New Employees in Academic Affairs

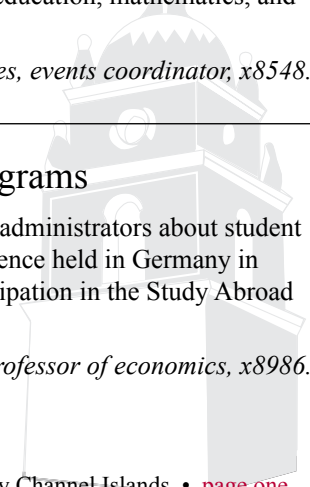
Lacey Lovejoy and Callie Petit have been appointed Administrative Support Coordinators in Academic Affairs. Lacey Lovejoy will work in the areas of English, art, and multiple programs, and Callie Petit will work in the areas of business, economics, psychology, and history. Charlotte Wakenhut is the new Administrative Support Coordinator, working with faculty in education, mathematics, and computer science. Traci Franks and Leah Alvarado are new Academic Advisors.

For more information, contact Cindy Eaves, events coordinator, x8548.

Faculty Member Attends Conference on Student and Faculty Exchange Programs

Ashish Vaidya, professor of economics, recently traveled to Germany to meet with university faculty and administrators about student and faculty exchange programs. This visit was a follow-up to the International Faculty Partnership conference held in Germany in 2001 and in Monterey, California in 2002. Topics discussed included ways to increase CSU student participation in the Study Abroad program in Germany and opportunities for faculty exchange between partner institutions.

For more information, contact Ashish Vaidya, professor of economics, x8986.



Faculty Member Publishes Journal Article

William Cordeiro, professor of management, recently had an article accepted for publication. "Codes of ETHICAL CONDUCT Are Not Enough: Stakeholder Theory Demands More from I. T. Professionals" was accepted for presentation at the 2003 International Association for Computer Information Systems conference to be held in Las Vegas, October 1-4, 2003, and will be published in the refereed publication, *Issues in Information Systems*.

For more information, contact William Cordeiro, professor of management, x8860.

Emotionally Intelligent Leadership Workshop

Dr. Edith Mitchell and Dr. Mike Thompson from the CA Leadership Academy will be directing a workshop on emotionally intelligent leadership, Thursday, August 7, 1-3 p.m., in the Administration Building banquet room. Admission is free and open to students, faculty, and staff.

For more information, contact Colleen Bennett, human resources administrator, x8846.

Library Offers Workshops for Faculty and Staff

On August 11 and 12, the University Library will be offering a number of informational and interactive workshops for faculty and staff. Topics include faculty services, using endnote, ordering books electronically, interactive media development, fair use and the teach act copyright law, power searching databases, integrating information literacy into the curriculum, using blackboard, utilizing external links in blackboard, creating electronic course packs, developing course Web pages, and new book/article alerting services.

For more information, contact Amy Wallace, head of library public services, x8911.

Student Housing Groundbreaking Ceremony

A groundbreaking ceremony for the Loma Vista Village student housing complex will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday, August 13, on the corner of Oxnard and Ventura Streets, next to Hagerty Gym. The complex, which will take one year to complete, will house approximately 350 students. The campus community is invited to attend.

For more information, contact Mitchel Sloan, events coordinator, x8916.

Budget Information Meeting Scheduled

A brown bag lunch meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 13, to further advise the campus community on the discussions of the campus budget committees. The meeting will take place between 12-1 p.m. in the banquet room in the Administration Building. Everyone is welcome to attend.

For more information, contact Rhonda Tyacke, executive assistant to the vice president for finance and administration, x8457.

Art and Jazz Festival on Campus

Studio Channel Islands Art Center will be hosting the first annual Art & All That Jazz Festival on August 15-17 in the North Quad. The event will feature the works of about 100 artists and music by a host of major jazz performers.

For more information, contact Mitchel Sloan, events coordinator, x8916.

Relay for Life Team

Several CSUCI staff members are forming a relay team to participate in the American Cancer Society Relay for Life at Newbury Park High School on September 13-14. The overnight event creates awareness in the community and raises funds to fight cancer. Potential participants and sponsors are invited to join.

For more information, contact Sue Saunders, advisement coordinator, x8514.

Update from Information Technology Services

Following is an update on recent activities in Information Technology Services:

- On June 23, the network conversion to an all Cisco-based environment was completed; this conversion enables further advances in technology, the newest of which is the implementation of VoIP telephony.
- Work continues with SBC and Verizon to move all of the network and telephony cables from the Administration Building to the Information Technology Services data center.
- The wiring for voice and data in Unit 32 (the Center for Excellence) has been completed, and work will begin on the D Wing of the Bell Tower Building so as to have it ready for the new term.
- A new communications infrastructure has been installed in Unit 18, which includes fiber and copper cabling as well as Cisco network equipment.
- Work continues with Operations, Planning, and Construction on the planned infrastructure of student housing so as to allow the latest technology for our students.

For more information, contact Jeffrey Seeger, director of applications and information management, x8567.

Campus Construction Report

Following is an update of construction activities on campus:

- The new Science Building is complete and will be ready for occupancy next week. Construction activities will continue around the building, including landscape and clean up. Operations, Planning, and Construction staff are commissioning the building now and learning how to operate all of the systems.
- At the end of the mall, the Science Annex project is ready to go to the drawing boards for the preparation of contract documents. When renovated, this \$2.678 million project will provide the campus with five new science laboratories, three large classrooms, and a multitude of support/office spaces for faculty and graduate researchers. The interior of the building has been gutted, and the portion next to the new Science Building will be demolished. Please be aware of the demolition and take every precaution to ensure your safety. Completion of this project is anticipated for summer or fall, 2004.
- The basic site work for the Student Housing project is complete. The new 10-inch waterline is installed, and the major trees have been planted in their permanent locations in the future courtyards. Foundations for the buildings are being excavated and will be poured shortly, so expect to see a lot of concrete trucks. The parking lot for the housing project is also moving along smoothly. Please be aware that the Potrero Road entrance to campus will continue to be affected by construction.
- The Administration Building renovation continues.
- Renovation of the D Wing of the Bell Tower Building is almost complete. Noise and limited access to the breezeway at Building 18 will continue to affect the current occupants of the Bell Tower. Carpet and acoustical treatment are being installed to improve the classrooms. The outside of the building is being water blasted to remove the old paint and dirt in preparation for a fresh coat of paint.

- The Town Center project has been delayed a couple of months and will start by the end of the year. Some of the existing parking will be retained during construction for the duration of the project.
- The second phase of the University Glen Housing Project is now underway, and framing is almost complete. Phase II will provide the campus with an additional 150 housing units. Construction on the swimming pool and cabana will commence this week.

For more information, contact Juan Beltranena, director of facilities, x8496.

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